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POULTRY

Slaughtered under Federal Inspection and Poultry
Used in Canning and Other Processed Foods
NOVEMBER 1967

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Inspected Poultry - A total of 1,051,922 pounds live weight (chickens, turkeys, and ducks combined) were inspected for slaughter during November 1967 under the Poultry Inspection Act carried on by the U.S.D.A. This was 11 percent less than the previous month and 1 percent more than November 1966.

The number of head and pounds (live weight) inspected by classes in November 1967 were young chickens, 172,456,000 head, 627,243,000 pounds; mature chickens, 15,739,000 head, 70,202,000 pounds; fryer-roaster turkeys, 1,960,000 head, 18,281,000 pounds; young turkeys, 15,572,000 head, 331,171,000 pounds; old turkeys, 25,000 head, 475,000 pounds; and ducks, 709,000 head, 4,550,000 pounds.

Certified Poultry - The quantity of poultry certified as wholesome in November 1967 totaled 778,253,000 pounds ready-to-cook weight of which 492,513,000 pounds were chilled and 285,740,000 pounds were frozen. Total pounds certified by class of poultry were as follows: young chickens, 449,313,000 pounds; mature chickens, 45,999,000 pounds; fryer-roaster turkeys, 14,339,000 pounds; young turkeys, 263,404,000 pounds; old turkeys, 387,000 pounds; ducks, 3,244,000 pounds; and other poultry, 1,567,000 pounds.

Canned and Processed Poultry - Poultry inspected and used for canning and other processed food in November 1967 totaled 96,490,000 pounds ready-to-cook weight, compared with 81,852,000 pounds in November 1966. The quantity used in November 1967 consisted of 28,815,000 pounds of young chickens, 30,622,000 pounds of mature chickens, 31,146,000 pounds of turkeys, and 5,907,000 pounds of other poultry.

Cut-up Poultry - Poultry cut-up and packaged in Federally inspected plants during November 1967 totaled 137,744,000 pounds ready-to-cook weight compared with 111,703,000 pounds in November 1966. The breakdown by classes for November 1967 consisted of 126,763,000 pounds of young chickens, 483,000 pounds of mature chickens, 10,420,000 pounds of turkeys, and 78,000 pounds of other poultry.

Ante-mortem condemnations amounted to 2,480,000 pounds live weight for all classes. Condemnations by classes were equivalent to the following percentages of quantities inspected: young chickens, 0.24 percent; mature chickens, 0.56 percent; fryer-roaster turkeys, 0.18 percent; young turkeys, 0.16 percent; old turkeys, 0.07 percent; and ducks, 0.02 percent.

Post-mortem condemnations in November 1967 amounted to 32,114,000 pounds (NYD weight). Condemnations by classes were equivalent to the following percentages of quantities inspected: young chickens, 3.83 percent; mature chickens, 5.10 percent; fryer-roaster turkeys, 2.14 percent; young turkeys, 2.32 percent; old turkeys, 1.87 percent; and ducks, 1.56 percent.

Poultry: Slaughtered under Federal Inspection, November 1967 with comparisons

Class	Number inspected				Pounds inspected (live weight)				Average live weight			
	October		November		October		November		October		November	
	1966	1967	1966	1967	1966	1967	1966	1967	1966	1967	1966	1967
	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds
Young chickens	202,922	171,303	172,456	2,050,461	2,152,205	733,051	609,786	627,243	7,157,458	7,624,659	3.61	3.56
Mature chickens 1/	17,218	16,626	15,739	136,427	156,532	78,456	76,881	70,202	636,794	727,656	4.56	4.62
Total chickens	220,140	187,929	188,195	2,186,888	2,308,737	811,507	686,667	697,445	7,794,252	8,352,315	3.69	3.65
Fryer-roasters	1,620	1,635	1,960	14,377	13,739	14,519	15,161	18,281	127,338	122,483	8.96	9.27
Young turkeys 2/	16,830	15,404	15,572	75,774	87,163	345,049	330,478	331,171	1,479,624	1,710,778	20.50	21.45
Old turkeys	45	21	25	1,762	1,971	665	361	475	34,043	37,792	14.78	17.19
Total turkeys	18,495	17,060	17,557	91,913	102,873	360,233	346,000	349,927	1,641,005	1,871,053	19.48	20.28
Ducks	868	817	709	9,906	9,595	5,637	5,285	4,550	63,100	60,880	6.49	6.47
Other poultry	---	---	---	---	---	485	2,123	2,226	6,540	5,643	---	---
Total poultry	---	---	---	---	---	1,177,862	1,040,075	1,054,148	9,504,897	10,289,891	---	---

1/ Of the mature chickens inspected, the number reported in thousands as heavy fowl (broiler breeding stock) was October 1967, 2,404; November 1966, 2,577; and November 1967, 2,179.

2/ Of the young turkeys inspected, the number reported in thousands as young banded breeders was: October 1967, 12; November 1966, 6; and November 1967, 16.

Pounds certified (ready-to-cook weights)

Class	October 1967				November 1966				January-November 1966				January-November 1967			
	Chilled		Frozen		Chilled		Frozen		Chilled		Frozen		Chilled		Frozen	
	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds
Young chickens	466,662	58,879	525,541	376,523	58,752	435,275	392,264	57,049	449,313	4,562,506	568,609	5,131,115	4,873,463	573,136	5,446,599	573,136
Mature chickens	40,417	10,770	51,187	38,350	12,300	50,550	36,293	9,706	45,999	310,197	108,455	418,652	363,674	112,299	475,973	112,299
Total chickens	507,079	69,649	576,728	414,873	71,052	485,925	428,557	66,755	495,312	4,872,703	677,064	5,549,767	5,237,137	685,435	5,922,572	685,435
Fryer-roasters	2,210	8,995	11,205	2,726	9,021	11,747	2,493	11,846	14,339	19,540	78,625	98,165	22,263	72,249	94,512	72,249
Young turkeys	38,367	236,216	274,583	66,023	196,798	262,821	61,191	202,213	263,404	242,252	936,404	1,178,656	234,297	1,128,856	1,363,153	1,128,856
Old turkeys	25	505	530	4	289	293	1	386	387	4,067	22,967	27,034	3,203	26,754	29,957	26,754
Total turkeys	40,602	245,716	286,318	68,753	206,108	274,861	63,685	214,445	278,130	265,859	1,037,996	1,303,855	259,763	1,227,859	1,487,622	1,227,859
Ducks	159	3,879	4,038	241	3,541	3,782	231	3,013	3,244	2,171	43,046	45,217	1,468	42,048	43,516	42,048
Other poultry	26	273	299	148	1,351	1,499	40	1,527	1,567	221	4,083	4,304	172	3,558	3,530	3,558
Total poultry	547,866	319,517	867,383	484,015	282,052	766,067	492,513	285,740	778,253	5,140,954	1,762,189	6,903,143	5,498,540	1,958,700	7,457,240	1,958,700

Poultry: Condemnations of poultry slaughtered under Federal Inspection, November 1967 with comparisons

Class	Ante-mortem condemnations				Post-mortem condemnations			
	Pounds (live weight):		Percent 1/		Pounds (live weight):		Percent 2/	
	November	1966	November	1966	November	1966	November	1966
Young chickens	1,000	1,000			1,000	1,000		
Mature chickens	1,622	1,517	0.27	0.24	22,440	21,960	22,181	21,579
Total chickens	381	394	.50	.56	4,437	4,437	3,253	3,207
	2,003	1,911	.29	.27	25,912	26,397	25,434	24,786
Fryer-roasters	31	32	.21	.18	227	271	299	352
Young turkeys	478	535	.14	.16	2,371	3,344	6,169	6,893
Old turkeys	2	---	.63	.07	69	85	5	8
Total turkeys	511	567	.15	.16	2,667	3,700	6,473	7,253
Ducks	---	1	---	.02	6	7	68	64
Other poultry	3	1	.14	.07	9	8	14	11
Total	2,517	2,480	.24	.24	28,594	30,112	31,989	32,114

1/ Pounds condemned as percent of pounds (live weight) inspected. Percentages based on unrounded data.

2/ Pounds condemned as percent of equivalent N.Y. dressed weight of quantity inspected. Percentages based on unrounded data.

3/ Dashes mean less than 500 head or 500 pounds.

Poultry: Inspected for canning and other processed foods, November 1967 with comparisons 1/

Class	Pounds used ready-to-cook weight				Pounds condemned ready-to-cook weight			
	November		October		November		January-November	
	1966	1967	1966	1967	1966	1967	1966	1967
Young chickens	1,000	1,000			1,000	1,000		
Further processed:	17,115	14,144	28,815	162,510	204,916	51	29	406
Cut up	155,919	93,694	126,763	1,007,432	1,181,141	---	---	---
Mature chickens	31,492	25,856	30,622	275,371	318,937	23	5	153
Further processed:	770	410	483	6,763	7,076	---	---	---
Cut up	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Turkeys	32,606	35,389	31,146	301,570	295,063	25	6	128
Further processed:	13,645	17,509	10,420	110,304	103,553	---	---	---
Cut up	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other poultry 2/	6,768	6,463	5,907	53,998	73,146	8	3	106
Further processed:	130	90	78	781	1,066	---	---	---
Cut up	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Total	87,981	81,852	96,490	793,449	892,062	107	43	793
Further processed:	170,464	111,703	137,744	1,125,280	1,292,836	---	---	---
Cut up	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

1/ All poultry inspected for canning and further processing and cut up and packaged in plants under Federal inspection.

2/ Poultry parts and fat used in further processing that cannot be identified by class are included in "other poultry."

Young chickens: Slaughtered under Federal Inspection, by regions and selected States, November 1966 and 1967

Region and State	Number inspected	Pounds inspected (live weight)	Average : live weight : inspected 1/		Total pounds : certified (Ready-to-cook wt.)		Post-mortem condemnations			
			: 1966 : 1967		: 1966 : 1967		: 1966 : 1967		: 1966 : 1967	
	Thou.	Thou.	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds	Percent	Percent
N. Atl.	12,298	11,692	50,242	48,986	35,913	35,023	2,026	1,771	4.49	4.03
E. N. Cent.	2,123	1,707	8,928	7,175	6,575	5,228	194	132	2.42	2.05
W. N. Cent.	3,531	3,426	13,601	12,762	9,462	9,129	582	324	4.76	2.83
S. Atl.	72,189	71,556	258,321	260,542	184,553	186,316	9,870	10,346	4.26	4.42
S. Cent.	77,239	80,360	263,715	283,861	188,086	203,692	9,006	8,637	3.80	3.39
West	3,923	3,715	14,979	13,917	10,686	9,925	503	369	3.75	2.95
U. S.	171,303	172,456	609,786	627,243	435,275	449,313	22,181	21,579	4.05	3.83
Maine	4,577	4,724	19,171	20,559	13,916	14,910	691	629	4.01	3.41
Pa.	7,056	6,310	28,314	25,784	20,120	18,191	1,249	1,074	4.92	4.64
Ohio	112	24	697	177	516	130	15	5	2.44	2.62
Ind.	730	649	2,676	2,481	1,988	1,816	33	31	1.38	1.42
Wis.	1,231	1,021	5,196	4,417	3,810	3,208	137	94	2.95	2.36
Minn.	569	647	2,392	2,637	1,798	1,974	28	40	1.30	1.69
Mo.	2,843	2,721	10,084	9,586	6,819	6,750	529	264	5.84	3.07
Del.	6,825	7,079	26,411	27,296	19,012	19,542	1,028	1,303	4.33	5.31
Md.	11,300	9,711	42,649	37,681	30,631	26,840	1,748	1,836	4.57	5.43
Va.	2,930	4,242	9,252	14,234	6,343	10,314	338	490	4.06	3.84
N.C.	19,477	18,460	70,337	67,729	49,932	48,609	2,627	2,013	4.16	3.31
S.C.	2,124	1,995	7,392	7,088	5,130	5,090	415	257	6.26	4.03
Ga.	27,947	28,216	97,053	100,076	69,784	71,382	3,604	4,246	4.14	4.72
Tenn.	4,352	4,122	14,881	14,013	10,571	10,200	561	467	4.20	3.72
Ala.	18,693	19,885	64,746	73,298	46,556	52,827	2,112	2,147	3.64	3.27
Miss.	12,509	13,125	42,345	46,386	30,677	33,863	1,217	1,183	3.20	2.84
Ark.	26,109	26,466	87,435	90,781	61,517	64,586	3,183	2,676	4.44	3.28
La. 3/	---	3,591	---	13,051	---	9,232	---	496	---	4.23
Texas	10,124	11,018	35,224	38,481	25,134	27,414	992	1,393	3.14	4.03
Wash.	755	767	2,789	2,937	2,034	2,085	43	68	1.71	2.57
Calif.	2,280	2,093	8,978	8,034	6,325	5,695	330	219	4.11	3.02

1/ Average weight based on unrounded data.

2/ Pounds condemned as percent of equivalent N. Y. dressed weight of quantity inspected. Percentages based on unrounded data.

3/ Data for only 1 year published in order to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

YOUNG CHICKENS: NUMBER CONDEMNED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, NOVEMBER 1967

REGION AND STATE	TUBER- :CULOSIS:	LEU- :KOSIS:	SEPTI- :CEMIA:	AIRSAC- :CULITIS:	SYNO- :VITIS:	TUMORS	BRUISES	CADAVER:	INATON:	OVER- :SCALD:	OTHER	TOTAL
	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.
N. ATLANTIC	---	213,924	104,369	85,512	6,195	1,279	1,894	10,977	13,104	1,419	11,702	450,375
E. N. CENTRAL	---	5,694	11,196	8,807	780	262	931	1,089	2,433	193	201	31,586
W. N. CENTRAL	---	36,883	21,603	24,016	2,072	396	1,393	1,916	3,245	162	2,464	94,150
S. ATLANTIC	---	1,439,888	446,659	755,842	37,129	6,014	28,848	60,732	147,745	13,953	62,410	2,999,220
S. CENTRAL	---	692,880	477,449	806,098	63,714	9,130	28,358	76,731	101,558	12,121	63,073	2,331,112
WEST	---	39,147	23,853	17,990	3,419	249	1,247	2,309	3,857	924	11,802	104,797
U. S.	---	2,428,416	1,085,129	1,698,265	113,309	17,330	62,671	153,754	271,942	28,772	151,652	6,011,240
MAINE	---	65,966	47,471	6,922	2,609	435	818	3,693	4,247	379	3,059	135,599
PENNSYLVANIA	---	141,350	52,318	77,589	3,325	701	885	7,002	7,769	1,018	7,717	299,674
OHIO	---	151	50	38	3	36	1	15	146	---	94	534
INDIANA	---	2,664	2,992	1,164	559	31	383	290	899	139	14	9,135
WISCONSIN	---	2,838	8,047	7,602	217	173	546	778	1,372	54	74	21,701
MINNESOTA	---	3,450	1,837	486	82	139	218	210	961	31	1,439	8,853
MISSOURI	---	32,485	18,888	23,471	1,853	166	1,142	1,669	2,144	131	1,019	82,968
DELAWARE	---	250,769	32,370	87,887	2,790	468	1,248	5,943	9,515	2,216	5,741	398,947
MARYLAND	---	276,851	67,758	156,358	4,001	869	1,961	6,342	10,042	2,151	3,038	529,371
VIRGINIA	---	77,931	29,590	47,796	1,273	114	984	3,724	2,705	178	1,303	165,598
NORTH CAROLINA	---	185,081	111,785	170,635	9,654	1,508	10,187	16,682	38,410	3,753	23,029	570,724
SOUTH CAROLINA	---	48,463	10,219	13,496	169	125	1,401	1,707	3,016	270	789	79,655
GEORGIA	---	577,288	180,393	255,341	18,278	2,814	12,768	25,232	82,251	5,244	26,678	1,186,287
TENNESSEE	---	23,918	23,548	42,873	1,998	232	1,307	3,402	6,145	831	5,571	109,825
ALABAMA	---	171,842	105,947	171,956	9,685	2,655	6,353	15,877	37,001	2,429	13,532	537,277
MISSISSIPPI	---	67,748	26,621	148,174	5,636	1,408	4,323	9,577	9,874	2,402	14,257	290,020
ARKANSAS	---	259,539	186,748	199,133	22,412	2,479	7,733	28,582	27,559	3,811	13,879	751,875
LOUISIANA	---	33,736	45,577	49,713	2,548	384	1,340	3,460	3,782	486	3,609	144,635
TEXAS	---	109,883	75,611	156,560	19,618	1,731	6,199	13,499	13,153	1,918	11,391	409,563
WASHINGTON	---	2,195	3,153	5,625	241	76	319	346	651	51	5,378	18,035
CALIFORNIA	---	24,606	15,095	8,317	3,103	67	316	1,225	2,289	770	4,241	60,029

Mature chickens: Slaughtered under Federal Inspection, by regions and selected States, November 1966 and 1967

Region and State	Number inspected		Pounds (live weight)		Average live weight inspected 1/ 1966 : 1967		Total pounds certified (Ready-to-cook wt.): 1966 : 1967		Post-mortem condemnations Pounds (NYD) : 1966 : 1967		Percent Percent		
	1966	1967	1966	1967	1966	1967	1966	1967	1966	1967	1966	1967	
	Thou.	Thou.	pounds	pounds	Pounds	Pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	Percent	Percent	
N. Atl.	1,989	1,710	9,428	8,239	4.74	4.82	6,125	5,369	328	357	3.89	4.85	
E. N. Cent.	1,640	1,566	7,008	6,522	4.27	4.16	4,553	4,181	288	342	4.60	5.87	
W. N. Cent.	4,365	4,248	18,786	17,898	4.30	4.21	12,142	11,740	985	902	5.86	5.64	
S. Atl.	3,965	3,716	19,452	17,622	4.91	4.74	13,145	11,504	672	687	3.85	4.35	
S. Cent.	3,123	3,142	15,611	14,451	5.00	4.60	10,566	9,762	642	618	4.59	4.78	
West.	1,544	1,357	6,596	5,470	4.27	4.03	4,119	3,443	338	301	5.71	6.15	
U. S.	16,626	15,739	76,881	70,202	4.62	4.46	50,650	45,999	3,253	3,207	4.72	5.10	
Maine	327	278	1,991	1,726	6.09	6.20	1,420	1,195	49	72	2.76	4.62	
N. J.	1,353	1,019	5,873	4,283	4.34	4.20	3,657	2,639	233	224	4.43	5.86	
Pa.	181	113	954	681	5.27	6.02	627	458	34	24	4.01	4.08	
Ohio	314	326	1,317	1,390	4.19	4.27	834	905	50	66	4.27	5.28	
Ind.	702	751	3,013	3,063	4.29	4.08	1,989	1,973	89	145	3.32	5.30	
Ill.	494	436	2,006	1,745	4.07	4.00	1,275	1,082	126	122	7.01	7.81	
Minn.	1,763	1,819	6,881	6,825	3.90	3.75	4,367	4,511	428	407	6.94	6.66	
Iowa	288	317	1,172	1,258	4.07	3.97	769	818	56	52	5.30	4.61	
Mo.	870	876	5,066	5,152	5.82	5.88	3,447	3,473	174	188	3.84	4.08	
Del. 3/	48	---	350	---	7.37	---	248	---	6	---	1.68	---	
Mi.	748	709	3,101	2,904	4.15	4.10	2,041	1,863	118	141	4.27	5.43	
Va.	155	157	1,015	1,084	6.54	6.89	705	761	25	32	2.80	3.36	
N. C.	450	426	3,048	2,713	6.77	6.36	2,090	1,850	103	95	3.75	3.88	
Ga.	2,181	1,259	10,220	6,282	4.69	4.99	6,989	4,156	350	198	3.82	3.51	
Fla. 3/	333	---	1,414	---	4.24	---	855	---	56	---	4.46	---	
Ala.	117	102	873	761	7.48	7.46	629	533	34	31	4.25	4.51	
Miss.	1,503	1,813	6,525	7,241	4.34	3.99	4,411	4,942	270	301	4.63	4.65	
Ark.	358	317	2,591	2,135	7.24	6.74	1,843	1,501	80	73	3.41	3.79	
La. 3/	---	56	---	353	---	6.34	---	241	---	13	---	---	4.15
Texas	566	563	2,727	2,491	4.82	4.43	1,729	1,573	134	151	5.50	6.79	
Wash.	101	129	456	540	4.50	4.20	297	341	20	21	4.80	4.31	
Calif.	1,295	1,081	5,548	4,362	4.28	4.03	3,425	2,726	295	255	5.91	6.55	

1/ Average weight based on unrounded data.

2/ Pounds condemned as percent of equivalent N. Y. dressed weight of quantity inspected.

3/ Data for only 1 year published in order to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

Percentages based on unrounded data.

MATURE CHICKENS: NUMBER CONDEMNED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, NOVEMBER 1967

REGION AND STATE	: TUBER- :		: LEU- :		: SEPTI- :		: AIRSAC- :		: SYNO- :		: TUMORS :		: BRUISES:		: CADAVAR:		: INATION:		: OVER- :		: OTHER :		: TOTAL	
	: NO.	:	: NO.	:	: NO.	:	: NO.	:	: NO.	:	: NO.	:	: NO.	:	: NO.	:	: NO.	:	: NO.	:	: NO.	:	: NO.	:
N. ATLANTIC	: 12	:	: 3,003	:	: 38,515	:	: 12	:	: 895	:	: 20,071	:	: 1,108	:	: 3,386	:	: 7,748	:	: 132	:	: 16,403	:	: 91,285	:
E. N. CENTRAL	: 2,307	:	: 3,729	:	: 27,666	:	: 410	:	: 66	:	: 25,540	:	: 1,011	:	: 2,164	:	: 6,566	:	: 640	:	: 17,369	:	: 87,468	:
W. N. CENTRAL	: 35,803	:	: 8,747	:	: 81,216	:	: 1,786	:	: 2,022	:	: 59,844	:	: 5,345	:	: 2,765	:	: 17,387	:	: 915	:	: 45,877	:	: 281,707	:
S. ATLANTIC	: 470	:	: 8,947	:	: 77,175	:	: 2,144	:	: 2,014	:	: 32,051	:	: 4,493	:	: 8,259	:	: 26,562	:	: 572	:	: 15,195	:	: 177,882	:
S. CENTRAL	: ---	:	: 15,790	:	: 54,142	:	: 460	:	: 838	:	: 25,560	:	: 2,797	:	: 4,143	:	: 9,773	:	: 360	:	: 30,041	:	: 143,904	:
WEST	: ---	:	: 1,331	:	: 36,475	:	: 111	:	: 234	:	: 30,474	:	: 1,061	:	: 770	:	: 3,608	:	: 224	:	: 11,004	:	: 85,292	:
U. S.	: 38,592	:	: 41,547	:	: 315,189	:	: 4,923	:	: 6,069	:	: 193,540	:	: 15,815	:	: 21,487	:	: 71,644	:	: 2,843	:	: 135,889	:	: 847,538	:
MAINE	: ---	:	: 868	:	: 9,832	:	: 1	:	: 482	:	: 1,115	:	: 74	:	: 292	:	: 1,648	:	: 8	:	: 216	:	: 14,536	:
NEW JERSEY	: 2	:	: 1,367	:	: 21,615	:	: 8	:	: 93	:	: 15,678	:	: 934	:	: 2,829	:	: 5,292	:	: 98	:	: 14,809	:	: 62,725	:
PENNSYLVANIA	: 2	:	: 347	:	: 3,185	:	: 2	:	: 1	:	: 869	:	: 44	:	: 60	:	: 377	:	: 1	:	: 634	:	: 5,522	:
OHIO	: 462	:	: 1,357	:	: 3,853	:	: 16	:	: 6	:	: 4,031	:	: 541	:	: 306	:	: 1,606	:	: 17	:	: 3,809	:	: 16,004	:
INDIANA	: 578	:	: 1,219	:	: 13,735	:	: 6	:	: 35	:	: 13,077	:	: 331	:	: 1,651	:	: 3,505	:	: 613	:	: 3,809	:	: 38,559	:
ILLINOIS	: 979	:	: 980	:	: 9,292	:	: 378	:	: 25	:	: 7,818	:	: 113	:	: 171	:	: 1,232	:	: 3	:	: 9,723	:	: 30,714	:
MINNESOTA	: 13,193	:	: 2,619	:	: 30,538	:	: 169	:	: 1,677	:	: 28,862	:	: 2,321	:	: 1,375	:	: 5,919	:	: 649	:	: 41,384	:	: 128,706	:
IOWA	: 2,848	:	: 478	:	: 5,020	:	: 75	:	: 27	:	: 4,752	:	: 213	:	: 244	:	: 2,153	:	: 77	:	: 852	:	: 16,739	:
MISSOURI	: 2,675	:	: 1,564	:	: 22,207	:	: 278	:	: 210	:	: 5,326	:	: 1,243	:	: 965	:	: 2,417	:	: 50	:	: 2,385	:	: 39,320	:
MARYLAND	: 470	:	: 1,618	:	: 24,898	:	: 58	:	: 346	:	: 6,550	:	: 1,353	:	: 3,172	:	: 3,457	:	: 251	:	: 621	:	: 42,794	:
VIRGINIA	: ---	:	: 1,155	:	: 3,145	:	: 53	:	: 427	:	: 418	:	: 112	:	: 233	:	: 461	:	: ---	:	: 15	:	: 6,019	:
NORTH CAROLINA	: ---	:	: 1,163	:	: 8,011	:	: 161	:	: 328	:	: 3,074	:	: 952	:	: 330	:	: 2,636	:	: 141	:	: 2,134	:	: 18,930	:
GEORGIA	: ---	:	: 1,281	:	: 18,218	:	: 243	:	: 750	:	: 10,446	:	: 637	:	: 1,259	:	: 8,560	:	: 46	:	: 7,215	:	: 48,655	:
ALABAMA	: ---	:	: 427	:	: 2,031	:	: 65	:	: 26	:	: 218	:	: 42	:	: 179	:	: 1,130	:	: ---	:	: 111	:	: 4,229	:
MISSISSIPPI	: ---	:	: 1,147	:	: 23,743	:	: 24	:	: 399	:	: 23,444	:	: 2,162	:	: 2,661	:	: 4,140	:	: 198	:	: 16,178	:	: 74,096	:
ARKANSAS	: ---	:	: 946	:	: 6,649	:	: 199	:	: 123	:	: 312	:	: 102	:	: 351	:	: 999	:	: 5	:	: 922	:	: 10,608	:
LOUISIANA	: ---	:	: 126	:	: 1,161	:	: 5	:	: 37	:	: 171	:	: 49	:	: 34	:	: 557	:	: ---	:	: 523	:	: 2,663	:
TEXAS	: ---	:	: 12,564	:	: 15,614	:	: 90	:	: 230	:	: 690	:	: 309	:	: 555	:	: 1,539	:	: 154	:	: 11,539	:	: 43,284	:
WASHINGTON	: ---	:	: 185	:	: 1,631	:	: 2	:	: 12	:	: 440	:	: 121	:	: 86	:	: 302	:	: 12	:	: 1,526	:	: 4,317	:
CALIFORNIA	: ---	:	: 881	:	: 31,287	:	: 109	:	: 86	:	: 28,767	:	: 746	:	: 460	:	: 2,983	:	: 180	:	: 7,302	:	: 72,801	:

Young turkeys (mature): Slaughtered under Federal Inspection, by regions and selected States, November 1966 and 1967

Region and State	Number inspected		Pounds inspected (live weight)		Average : live weight : inspected 1/		Total pounds : certified (Ready-to-cook wt.)		Post-mortem condemnations	
	1966 : 1967		1966 : 1967		1966 : 1967		1966 : 1967		1966 : 1967	
	Thou.	Thou.	pounds	pounds	Pounds	Pounds	pounds	pounds	Pounds	Percent
N. Atl.	501	484	10,278	9,479	20.51	19.58	8,064	7,468	122	1.32
E. N. Cent.	1,885	2,150	38,985	45,018	20.68	20.94	31,186	35,904	699	1.99
W. N. Cent.	5,191	4,698	110,290	100,742	21.25	21.44	88,235	80,265	2,069	2.09
S. Atl.	1,682	1,806	34,327	36,204	20.41	20.05	26,939	28,576	674	2.19
S. Cent.	2,376	2,484	51,215	53,584	21.56	21.57	40,485	42,287	1,197	2.60
West	3,769	3,950	85,383	86,144	22.65	21.81	67,912	68,904	1,408	1.83
U. S.	15,404	15,572	330,478	331,171	21.45	21.27	262,821	263,404	6,169	2.08
Pa.	407	405	7,942	7,751	19.49	19.16	6,293	6,149	83	1.17
Ohio	429	774	9,095	16,221	21.18	20.96	7,296	12,897	161	1.96
Ind.	565	674	11,924	14,134	21.10	20.97	9,444	11,247	246	2.29
Wis.	675	505	13,249	10,538	19.63	20.87	10,676	8,457	209	1.75
Minn.	2,170	1,808	44,145	37,239	20.34	20.59	35,390	29,705	699	1.76
Iowa	1,095	1,161	24,045	25,766	21.96	22.19	19,308	20,490	464	2.15
Mo.	1,254	1,118	27,594	24,458	22.00	21.88	21,935	19,359	632	2.55
Nebr.	303	307	6,958	7,095	22.95	23.09	5,611	5,709	125	1.99
Kans.	154	135	3,392	2,802	22.03	20.76	2,712	2,258	89	2.92
Va.	605	576	12,302	11,570	20.33	20.08	9,423	8,940	308	2.79
N.C.	785	786	16,394	15,671	20.88	19.94	13,142	12,618	255	1.73
Ga.	34	22	836	455	24.66	20.49	660	364	22	2.93
Ark.	1,034	1,107	22,149	24,383	21.42	22.02	17,505	19,096	549	2.76
Texas	798	898	17,170	19,027	21.52	21.19	13,679	15,185	369	2.39
Colo.	375	412	8,072	8,902	21.55	21.62	6,682	6,979	63	.88
Utah	703	676	19,059	18,053	27.11	26.70	15,248	14,568	224	1.31
Calif.	2,310	2,444	50,100	50,352	21.69	20.60	39,542	40,326	998	2.22

1/ Average weight based on unrounded data.

2/ Pounds condemned as percent of equivalent N. Y. dressed weight of quantity inspected. Percentages based on unrounded data.

YOUNG TURKEYS (MATURE): NUMBER CONDEMNED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, NOVEMBER 1967

REGION AND STATE	TUBER- :CULOSIS:	LEU- :KOSIS:	SEPTI- :CEMIA:	AIRSAC- :CULITIS:	SYNO- :VITIS:	TUMORS: :NO.	BRUISES: :NO.	CADAVAR: :NO.	INAIN: :NO.	CONTAM- :NO.	OVER- :NO.	SCALD: :NO.	OTHER: :NO.	TOTAL :NO.
N. ATLANTIC	---	122	4,396	1,910	322	2	53	185	399	6	100			7,495
E. N. CENTRAL	---	259	19,342	20,089	2,288	61	396	1,827	2,403	359	536			47,560
W. N. CENTRAL	---	107	61,043	36,020	2,764	103	1,254	2,190	6,977	648	1,239			112,345
S. ATLANTIC	---	658	14,800	16,533	2,820	96	431	763	1,744	149	679			38,673
S. CENTRAL	---	368	30,637	19,203	5,131	114	616	818	2,904	318	1,932			62,041
WEST	---	268	23,044	19,890	10,851	45	670	1,543	1,875	309	1,552			60,047
U. S.	---	1,782	153,262	113,645	24,176	421	3,420	7,326	16,302	1,789	6,038			328,161
PENNSYLVANIA	---	67	3,666	1,793	224	2	37	142	279	6	86			6,302
OHIO	---	95	8,109	7,339	363	18	140	786	1,384	207	408			18,849
INDIANA	---	35	4,782	8,644	844	2	52	448	516	87	39			15,449
WISCONSIN	---	82	3,781	3,138	859	10	176	329	414	32	16			8,837
MINNESOTA	---	42	19,199	9,903	463	48	252	1,085	2,951	273	197			34,413
IOWA	---	9	14,294	7,893	381	18	297	313	1,676	137	337			25,355
MISSOURI	---	42	15,920	11,411	881	5	331	618	963	116	469			30,756
NEBRASKA	---	7	8,316	3,187	444	20	289	79	794	75	217			13,428
KANSAS	---	2	1,813	3,242	401	6	16	23	178	40	11			5,732
VIRGINIA	---	12	6,058	7,090	416	5	164	220	306	44	5			14,320
NORTH CAROLINA	---	476	4,224	6,499	932	78	126	411	980	39	364			14,129
GEORGIA	---	9	68	31	15	---	12	1	35	18	19			208
ARKANSAS	---	104	17,889	7,686	3,312	21	235	249	1,381	208	8			31,093
TEXAS	---	161	6,510	7,557	1,429	81	260	359	709	14	1,587			18,667
COLORADO	---	13	2,095	2,557	27	15	130	221	400	8	69			5,535
UTAH	---	23	3,924	1,475	592	4	145	384	240	31	82			6,900
CALIFORNIA	---	231	14,465	14,464	9,982	15	223	832	1,091	247	1,348			42,898

Fryer-roaster turkeys: Slaughtered under Federal Inspection, by regions and selected States, November 1966 and 1967

Region and State	Number inspected		Pounds inspected (live weight)		Average live weight inspected 1/		Total pounds certified (Ready-to-cook wt.)		Post-mortem condemnations	
	1966 : 1967		1966 : 1967		1966 : 1967		1966 : 1967		1966 : 1967	
	Thou.	Thou.	pounds	pounds	Pounds	Pounds	pounds	pounds	Percent	Percent
N. Atl.	38	8	472	79	12.42	9.38	336	60	4	2.36
E. N. Cent.	140	122	1,331	1,152	9.51	9.44	1,033	904	18	1.50
W. N. Cent.	894	1,359	8,387	12,827	9.38	9.44	6,680	10,161	261	1.81
S. Atl.	456	304	4,103	2,797	9.00	9.20	3,030	2,114	43	3.34
S. Cent.	88	105	738	900	8.39	8.57	571	682	21	1.51
West.	19	62	130	526	6.84	8.48	97	418	6	1.71
U. S.	1,635	1,960	15,161	18,281	9.27	9.33	11,747	14,339	299	2.20
Ohio	72	22	688	205	9.57	9.20	532	157	8	1.24
Wis.	43	85	400	821	9.26	9.65	314	650	11	2.33
Minn.	803	1,284	7,553	12,158	9.41	9.47	6,007	9,624	127	1.87
Va.	402	262	600	2,412	8.96	9.21	2,643	1,816	33	3.47
Calif.	13	42	90	368	6.89	8.80	65	291	5	3.33

1/ Average weight based on unrounded data.

2/ Pounds condemned as percent of equivalent N.Y. dressed weight of quantity inspected. Percentages based on unrounded data.

Fryer-roaster turkeys: Number condemned post-mortem by cause, by regions and selected States, November 1967

Region and State	Tuber- culosis	Leu- kosis	Septi- cemia	Airsac- culitis	Synovitis	Tumors	Bruises	Cadaver	Contam- ination	Over- scald	Other	Total
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
N. Atl.	---	4	166	141	2	---	---	1	3	---	---	317
E. N. Cent.	---	2	785	407	5	---	42	105	241	3	32	1,622
W. N. Cent.	---	27	16,440	3,506	89	12	178	630	4,548	101	132	25,663
S. Atl.	---	236	2,582	566	25	---	108	140	337	31	38	4,063
S. Cent.	---	---	909	652	485	1	49	37	349	7	51	2,540
West.	---	42	529	44	10	---	40	51	133	16	4	869
U. S.	---	311	21,411	5,316	616	13	417	964	5,611	158	257	35,074
Ohio	---	---	65	111	2	---	23	31	120	1	31	384
Wis.	---	2	520	255	3	---	19	61	101	1	1	963
Minn.	---	10	15,900	3,105	88	3	131	599	4,361	31	67	24,295
Va.	---	18	2,242	393	17	---	74	135	240	31	23	3,173
Calif.	---	42	362	26	5	---	19	6	107	13	3	583

Old turkeys (breeders): Slaughtered under Federal Inspection, by regions and selected States, November 1966 and 1967

Region and State	Number inspected	Post-mortem condemnations									
		Pounds		Average		Total pounds		Pounds (NYD)		Percent	
		inspected (live weight)	inspected (live weight)	live weight inspected 1/	live weight inspected 1/	certified (Ready-to-cook wt.)	certified (Ready-to-cook wt.)	1966	1967	1966	1967
		1966	1967	1966	1967	1966	1967	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	Percent	Percent
	Thou.	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	Pounds	Pounds	pounds	pounds				
N. Atl.	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
E. N. Cent.	3	54	42	20.46	19.00	43	34	1	---	1.98	---
W. N. Cent.	7	101	68	14.49	14.94	84	55	1	1	1.58	1.81
S. Atl.	5	120	166	24.00	19.63	97	134	2	4	1.85	2.83
S. Cent.	---	2	182	32.17	19.37	2	151	---	3	---	2.13
West	6	84	17	14.00	25.78	67	13	1	---	1.32	---
U. S.	21	361	475	17.19	19.00	293	387	5	8	1.55	1.87
Minn. 3/	7	101	---	14.49	---	84	---	1	---	1.58	---

1/ Average weight based on unrounded data.

2/ Pounds condemned as percent of equivalent N. Y. dressed weight of quantity inspected. Percentages based on unrounded data.

3/ Data for only 1 year published in order to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

Old turkeys (breeders): Number condemned post-mortem by cause, by regions and selected States, November 1967

Region and State	Tuber- culosis	Leu- kosis	Septi- cemia	Airsac- culitis	Synovitis	Tumors	Bruises	Cadaver	Contam- ination	Over- stald	Other	Total
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
N. Atl.	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
E. N. Cent.	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
W. N. Cent.	---	---	7	10	---	1	2	---	---	---	---	20
S. Atl.	---	---	33	10	---	3	---	3	10	---	---	59
S. Cent.	---	---	57	29	13	1	2	6	11	---	12	131
West.	---	---	64	37	1	---	2	14	5	---	7	135
U. S.	---	5	169	86	14	5	6	23	28	---	19	355

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Definitions

- Young chickens - Commercially grown broilers-fryers and other young immature birds such as roasters and capons.
- Mature chickens - Fowl from breeder and market egg flocks and stags and cocks.
- Fryer-roaster turkeys - Young immature birds, usually under 16 weeks of age.
- Young turkeys (mature) - Young birds grown to a matured market age, usually 5 to 7 months.
- Old turkeys (breeders) - Fully matured birds held for egg production, usually over 15 months of age.
- Ducks - Includes all ducks regardless of age and weight.
- Other poultry - Includes all other ready-to-cook products which bear the U.S.D.A. Inspected for Wholesomeness legend.

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